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METHOD AND DEVICE FOR TRIGGERING AT LEAST

ONE DECELERATION DEVICE AND/OR ONE OUTPUT-DETERMINING ACTUATOR ELEMENT OF A VEHICLE

PROPULSION SYSTEM

Group Art Unit

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 14, 2008. Please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following. A one-month extension of time for filing a reply is requested. Please charge the \$130 extension fee to Kenyon & Kenyon LLP's Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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